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## REPORT OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

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In conformity with the laws of the State, the County Commissioners of Hillsborough County herewith submit the following report of the expenditures of the County over which they have any control, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1872.

The number of inmates supported at the County Almshouse at Wilton, for the past year, is 254. Average weekly number, 118. Of this number, 35 are insane or partially so, 17 idiotic, 14 aged from 70 to 90, 14 between 60 and 70, and 31 under 20. But few of the inmates are able to render much productive labor for the institution, but demand constant care and attention from others, on account of their age and infirmities. Three adults have been sent to their homes in Europe. Five children have been taken by the Children's Mission Society at Boston, and homes have been found for five very young children who were abandoned by their parents. Arrangements have been made with the selectmen of several towns for the partial support of quite a number who do not wish to be supported at the County Farm. Assistance has been rendered in this way to 42 persons, at an expense to the County of from 50 cents to \$1.25 per week.

The sanitary condition of the inmates has been remarkably good, as will be seen by the report of the attending physician, Dr. J. Fleeman, who has kindly cared for the wants of the sick. Eleven deaths have occurred during the year, and but very little sickness, which is attributed in part to the healthy location of the farm, cleanliness of the inmates, thorough ventilation of the buildings, and change of diet.

The farm has been well cultivated, and yielded satisfactory crops, with the exception of potatoes, which is less by seven hundred and six bushels than last year.

Since the purchase of the farm by the County, more than thirty-five cows have been annually kept for the purpose of raising milk for the market. After due consideration we became satisfied that the selling of milk was not a profitable arrangement for the County. As it was necessary to purchase large quantities of grain, with the cost of transporting the same from the depot, nearly five miles to the farm, expense of sending the milk to market, the low price obtained for the same, especially in the summer season, leaves no margin for a profit. Since the first day of last April, all of the milk and butter has been used at the Alms-house, which has proved very beneficial to the general health and happiness of the inmates.

#### REPAIRS.

The Almshouse and building for the insane, have been painted at an expense of \$372.10, tin eave troughs and conductors placed upon the same, costing \$120. The building for the insane has been thoroughly ventilated, yard, portico and new vaults added at a cost of \$382.52.

The lead water-pipe has been in constant use for many years, and become very much worn, so much so that it was very expensive to keep it in repair, especially in the winter season, and it was found quite too small to furnish a sufficient quantity of water for the use of the institution. It has been replaced with 1350 feet of two-inch wrought-iron enameled pipe, at an expense of \$599.26, making the total expenditure for repairs, \$1,473.88, which is charged in the general expense of the year for supporting paupers at the County farm, instead of adding the same to the cost of the farm as heretofore.

Religious exercises are held once a month by Rev. Mr. Fletcher, who has taken a great interest in the spiritual welfare of the inmates. Also religious services are held at all funerals. For the valuable services rendered, we tender to Mr. Fletcher our kindest acknowledgments.

Especial care is taken that the children attend school and are furnished with suitable instruction. An extra amount of money has been appropriated for that purpose during the year. Arrangements are now being made to establish a school at the farm. A teacher will be employed who will

have the whole charge of the children of the institution. There is at the farm quite a number of children who desire good homes. The Commissioners would be pleased to make arrangements with suitable persons that these unfortunate little ones may be kindly cared for, that they may have an opportunity to become useful members of society.

For the past eleven years Mr. G. G. Bumpus as Superintendent, and Mrs. Bumpus as matron of the institution, have faithfully and efficiently performed their duties to the many that have been placed under their charge. We acknowledge to them our gratitude for the humane treatment and tender care which has always been given to the poor and unfortunate who are obliged to make their home at this institution. We cheerfully accord our thanks to the assistants for their faithfulness in the discharge of their various duties.

#### REFORM SCHOOL.

Forty-nine are supported at the Reform School at a cost of \$3,208.95, which is an increase over last year of fourteen in number, and in cost \$629.71.

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE ASYLUM.

Six have been supported at the Asylum at an expense of \$695.62. All have been removed except John Dailey, who is now there.

Ten thousand dollars of the County Bonds will become due during the year. It will be necessary to make some arrangement for the payment of the same.

An examination of the Treasurer's report will show an increase of the County debt of \$11,314.84.

This increase is accounted for, in part, as follows:

Cost of painting jail, . . . . .	\$550 95
Extra amount paid for support of fourteen admitted to Reform School over last year, . . . . .	629 71
Paid town of Wilton by order of the Court, for damages caused by freshet of 1869, . . . . .	10,000 00
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An action was brought against the County by the town of Wilton, for damages sustained by said town, by a freshet in 1869. A hearing was had before Judge Sargent. The County was represented by able counsel, and a large number of witnesses were examined. After a long hearing, the County Treasurer was ordered to pay to the town of Wilton \$10,000.00. During the past year the court expenses have been considerably increased.



## COUNTY FARM REPORT.

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INVENTORY OF PROPERTY ON COUNTY FARM, JANUARY 1, 1873.

2 yokes of oxen, . . . . .	\$550 00
2 bulls, . . . . .	110 00
1 yoke steers, . . . . .	125 00
34 cows, . . . . .	1,700 00
5 calves, . . . . .	60 00
3 horses, . . . . .	425 00
1 breeding sow, . . . . .	30 00
1 boar, . . . . .	25 00
27 shotes, . . . . .	324 00
4 shotes, (white Chester) . . . . .	50 00
13 hens, . . . . .	9 75
63 tons hay, (English) . . . . .	1,575 00
5 tons stock hay, . . . . .	75 00
6 tons rowen, . . . . .	150 00
3 tons corn stalks, . . . . .	45 00
12 tons barley fodder, (unthreshed) . . . . .	240 00
6 tons barley straw, . . . . .	90 00
4 single harnesses, . . . . .	32 00
1 pair double harnesses, . . . . .	20 00
3 buffalo robes, . . . . .	28 00
3 horse blankets, . . . . .	3 00
1 three-seated pung sleigh, . . . . .	55 00
1 single sleigh, . . . . .	25 00
1 covered wagon, . . . . .	90 00
1 express wagon, . . . . .	60 00
1 Concord wagon, . . . . .	110 00
1 lumber wagon, . . . . .	65 00
3 ox-carts, . . . . .	120 00
1 stone cart, . . . . .	40 00
1 ox wagon, . . . . .	80 00

1 two-horse wood wagon, . . . .	60 00
running part to night wagon, . . . .	40 00
1 two-horse traverse sled, . . . .	50 00
3 ox sleds, . . . .	35 00
2 hay racks, . . . .	12 00
8 wheelbarrows, . . . .	12 00
hand sled, . . . .	2 00
mowing machine, . . . .	65 00
9 plows, . . . .	80 00
3 harrows, . . . .	16 00
2 cultivators, . . . .	10 00
1 iron scraper, . . . .	5 00
5 ox-yokes, . . . .	25 00
2 slide yokes, . . . .	20 00
17 draft chains, . . . .	30 00
19 stake chains, . . . .	9 50
9 whiffletrees, . . . .	5 00
8 cattle ties, . . . .	4 00
20 long-handle shovels, . . . .	15 00
6 spades, . . . .	4 50
6 barn shovels, . . . .	7 50
14 gravel shovels, . . . .	10 50
13 manure forks, . . . .	13 00
4 spades, . . . .	2 00
36 hoes, . . . .	6 00
18 hay forks, . . . .	18 00
hay knife, . . . .	2 00
11 pick axes, . . . .	12 00
9 iron bars, . . . .	13 50
29 hand rakes, . . . .	5 80
2 drag rakes, . . . .	2 00
8 iron-tooth rakes, . . . .	4 00
7 sod hoes, . . . .	6 00
5 manure hooks, . . . .	4 00
4 bush hooks, . . . .	8 00
1 seed sower, . . . .	5 00
corn sheller, . . . .	6 00
grain sower, . . . .	10 00
19 scythes and 14 snaths, . . . .	20 00
10 bush scythes and 4 snaths, . . . .	11 75
6 corn cutters, . . . .	3 00
8 sickles, . . . .	2 00

6	woodsaws and frames,	6 00
	root cutter,	5 00
	winnowing mill,	6 00
2	hay cutters,	35 00
3	grain cradles,	5 00
3	one-half bushel measures,	1 00
1	set wood measures,	1 25
3	grindstones,	14 00
4	stone hammers,	7 00
1	set stone-mason's tools,	10 00
6	beetles and rings,	6 00
10	iron wedges,	8 00
1	jack screw,	6 00
	ice hooks and tongs,	4 00
236	plow points,	23 60
	patent cider mill and press,	50 00
	wheel and ropes (slaughter house),	25 00
3	stone drags,	5 00
3	set drag plank,	6 00
	cart body,	20 00
	cart body, axletree and spire,	30 00
	meat bench, ax and saw,	10 00
156	hay caps,	23 40
55	meal bags,	16 50
222	sacks,	22 20
125	vine boxes,	5 00
2	sets dies and plates,	30 00
2	steam-pipe cutters,	10 00
10	prs. pipe tongs,	15 00
	anvil,	2 00
	iron vise and wrenches,	17 00
10	feet rubber hose,	6 00
	watering pot,	50
13	feet rubber packing,	13 00
9	3-4 feet hemp packing,	4 87
	lot steam pipe fittings,	15 00
3	steam gauges,	9 00
	copper pump,	5 00
10	pounds iron bolts,	1 67
312	feet ladders,	31 20
	2 large steaming boxes (in barn),	15 00
44	feed boxes,	11 00

3 cow bells,	1	50
4 grain boxes,	10	00
set portable scales,	12	00
5 produce boxes,	2	50
saddle and bridle,	5	00
2 horse brushes,		25
curry comb,	10	
2 whips,	1	25
64 pounds nails,	4	48
65 pounds mixed grass seed,	8	00
60 pounds clover seed,	8	40
1777 pounds phosphate,	44	43
1-2 cask cement,	2	00
3-4 cask lime,	1	50
500 new brick,	6	50
10 pounds Bristol brick,		20
50 pounds stone dust,	2	00
74 pounds starch,	7	03
32 gallons molasses,	16	00
208 pounds granulated sugar,	26	00
152 pounds brown sugar,	16	72
90 pounds ex. C. sugar,	10	80
62 pounds pepper,	19	22
39 pounds ginger,	8	19
187 pounds coffee,	15	89
130 pounds Oolong tea,	66	30
20 pounds Y. H. tea,	25	00
124 pounds saleratus,	9	30
933 pounds soap stock,	60	64
15 pounds hops,	3	00
48 sap buckets,	16	00
grain scoop,	2	00
4 bunches window cord,	3	00
12 clothes baskets,	6	00
3 dish baskets,	1	00
2 coal hods,	4	00
earth closet	5	00
21 coffins,	78	00
66 barrels flour,	612	00
350 bushels Northern corn,	350	00
34 bushels Southern corn,	28	90
5 bags corn meal,	7	50



5 bags barley meal, . . . . .	7 50
225 bushels barley, . . . . .	202 50
30 bushels rye, . . . . .	30 00
6 bushels oats, . . . . .	3 30
850 bushels potatoes, . . . . .	850 00
10 bushels carrots, . . . . .	5 00
50 bushels turnips, . . . . .	15 00
40 bushels rutabagas, . . . . .	20 00
6 barrels onions, . . . . .	15 00
1200 heads cabbage, . . . . .	120 00
20 bushels beets, . . . . .	15 00
23 1-2 bushels beans, . . . . .	81 25
2 bushels peas, . . . . .	3 00
13 barrels No. 1 apples, . . . . .	32 50
16 barrels No. 2 apples, . . . . .	24 00
2 barrels salted cucumbers, . . . . .	10 00
350 pounds dried apple, . . . . .	3 50
24 pounds candles, . . . . .	4 08
244 gallons vinegar, . . . . .	97 60
27 barrels cider, . . . . .	81 00
25 barrels cider and vinegar, . . . . .	50 00
1-2 box raisins, . . . . .	1 75
62 pounds tobacco, . . . . .	34 10
255 pounds bar soap, . . . . .	17 85
46 pounds castile soap, . . . . .	5 52
3-4 bbl. crackers, . . . . .	3 00
3 1-2 bags C. F. salt, . . . . .	6 37
4 bags C. salt, . . . . .	5 00
1 1-2 bags fine salt, . . . . .	4 27
9 boxes butter salt, . . . . .	2 25
600 pounds salt fish, . . . . .	21 00
55 pounds tallow, . . . . .	6 60
498 pounds lard, . . . . .	69 72
243 pounds butter, . . . . .	87 48
16 barrels salt beef, . . . . .	256 00
15 barrels salt pork, . . . . .	270 00
2 1-2 barrels hams and shoulders, . . . . .	45 00
1 2-3 barrels heads and checks, . . . . .	13 00
384 pounds fresh pork, . . . . .	38 40
278 pounds fresh beef, . . . . .	44 48
6 soldiers' overcoats, . . . . .	15 00
5 soldiers' overcoats, . . . . .	10 00

6 hospital gowns,	6 00
12 Carrigan jackets,	16 50
44 striped shirts,	44 00
4 flannel shirts,	4 00
31 pairs overalls,	23 25
2 reef jackets,	9 00
4 undershirts,	2 50
4 vests,	5 52
7 boys' jackets,	17 50
8 pairs pants,	12 00
4 pairs pants,	4 00
4 pairs pants,	4 00
5 boys' caps,	3 75
4 boys' vests,	2 00
3 pairs boys' thin pants,	2 25
24 men's hats,	22 00
17 men's caps,	17 00
17 pairs wool mittens,	6 46
9 pairs buck mittens,	13 50
13 pairs boys' mittens,	11 31
2 1-2 doz. men's 1-2 hose,	20 00
3 doz. men's 1-2 hose, extra,	27 00
5 doz. ladies' wool hose,	9 38
13 pairs men's boots,	45 50
13 pairs shoes,	19 50
23 pairs women's boots,	34 50
4 pairs women's boots,	5 00
4 pairs women's rubbers,	3 00
9 pairs children's shoes,	4 50
5 pairs men's slippers,	5 00
11 pairs women's slippers,	8 25
3 pairs boys' boots,	3 00
4 pairs boys' shoes,	5 00
4 pairs boys' boots,	10 00
30 pairs misses' boots,	19 50
lot boots and shoes in box,	15 00
175 1-2 yards sheeting,	22 71
45 yards striped shirting,	7 65
53 1-4 yards twilled flannel,	21 30
139 yards denims,	23 63
72 1-2 yards gingham,	9 06
50 yards bleached sheeting,	5 00

9 boys' shirts, . . . . .	4 50
14 iron bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . .	112 00
5 wood bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . .	40 00
2 cotton mattresses, . . . . .	6 00
2 cabinet chairs, . . . . .	2 00
2 rocking chairs, . . . . .	2 00
14 wood chairs, . . . . .	7 00
1 barber's chair and stool, . . . . .	8 00
18 c. c. chambers, . . . . .	6 00
light-stand, . . . . .	75
mirror, . . . . .	25
cedar pail, . . . . .	1 00
2 slop pails, . . . . .	25
13 razors and strops, . . . . .	4 00
hone, . . . . .	50
8 curtains, . . . . .	2 00
6 wood bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . .	60 00
8 wood bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . .	72 00
1 iron bedstead, bed and bedding, . . . .	8 00
11 chairs, . . . . .	2 75
mirror, . . . . .	10
dust pan and brush, . . . . .	75
cedar pail and dipper, . . . . .	1 10
slop pail, . . . . .	15
settee, . . . . .	1 00
14 c. c. chambers, . . . . .	4 67
8 curtains, . . . . .	2 00
1 hanging lamp, . . . . .	1 00
2 brooms, . . . . .	50
16 iron bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . .	128 00
8 chairs, . . . . .	2 00
14 c. c. chambers, . . . . .	4 67
light-stand, . . . . .	25
tin pail and dipper, . . . . .	75
8 bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . . . .	72 00
5 bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . . . .	50 00
13 c. c. chambers, . . . . .	4 33
6 chairs, . . . . .	3 00
dust pan and brush, . . . . .	75
10 bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . . . .	100 00
3 bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . . . .	27 00
17 chairs, . . . . .	8 50

2 rocking chairs, . . . . .	2 00
1 settee, . . . . .	1 50
1 table; . . . . .	75
1 cutting table, . . . . .	2 00
cedar pail and dipper, . . . . .	1 25
wash basin, . . . . .	50
8 curtains, . . . . .	2 00
brass clock, . . . . .	5 00
broom, . . . . .	25
dust pan and brush, . . . . .	75
5 feather beds, . . . . .	35 00
cotton mattress, . . . . .	3 00
14 bedsteads, beds and bedding, . . . . .	96 00
8 rocking chairs, . . . . .	6 00
15 chairs, . . . . .	7 50
3 cabinet chairs, . . . . .	6 00
wash-stand, . . . . .	20
lounge, . . . . .	3 00
16 c. c. chambers, . . . . .	5 33
mirror, . . . . .	75
cedar pail, . . . . .	1 00
slop pail, . . . . .	15
dust pan and brush, . . . . .	75
broom, . . . . .	25
8 curtains, . . . . .	2 00
1 table, . . . . .	1 00
8 feather beds, . . . . .	56 00
tin lamps, . . . . .	08
9 settees, . . . . .	18 00
6 chairs, . . . . .	1 50
2 lamps and brackets, . . . . .	3 00
8 curtains, . . . . .	2 00
hanging lamp, . . . . .	1 00
2 curtains, . . . . .	50
1 H. lamp, . . . . .	1 00
2 curtains, . . . . .	50
8 dining tables, . . . . .	40 00
93 dining chairs, . . . . .	46 50
4 children's high chairs, . . . . .	3 00
1 office chair and cushion, . . . . .	2 00
136 dining plates, c. c. . . . .	10 88
77 c. c. bowls, . . . . .	3 85



24 tin qt. bowls, . . . . .	1 92
6 tin pt. dishes, . . . . .	36
7 nappies, . . . . .	1 75
32 saucers, . . . . .	96
26 tin pepper boxes, . . . . .	1 04
8 soup ladles, . . . . .	1 20
1 castor and cruets, . . . . .	50
95 knives and forks, . . . . .	5 70
110 spoons, . . . . .	6 60
3 side tables, . . . . .	3 00
3 lamps and brackets, . . . . .	4 50
1 dish cupboard, . . . . .	2 00
dinner bell, . . . . .	1 50
fire-proof safe, . . . . .	25 00
2 knife boxes, . . . . .	50
mirror, . . . . .	25
brass clock, . . . . .	5 00
desk and table, . . . . .	20 00
county map, . . . . .	2 70
dust pan and brush, . . . . .	75
8 curtains, . . . . .	2 00
2 bread knives, . . . . .	1 00
8 butcher knives, . . . . .	3 36
2 steak knives, . . . . .	1 00
2 fire extinguishers, . . . . .	120 00
cook stove and furniture, . . . . .	15 00
25 sad irons, . . . . .	11 00
3 patent sad irons, . . . . .	2 25
2 polishing irons, . . . . .	1 50
63 sheet iron bake pans, . . . . .	21 00
12 sheet iron fish pans, . . . . .	12 00
7 sheet iron bread covers, . . . . .	3 50
chopping knife, . . . . .	50
29 bean pots, . . . . .	2 32
2 square pans, . . . . .	16
portable grindstone, . . . . .	1 50
skimmer and fork, . . . . .	50
2 fish shovels, . . . . .	50
large strainer pan, . . . . .	2 00
6 tin coffee pots, . . . . .	1 50
2 tin tea pots, . . . . .	50
3 swill tubs, . . . . .	75

3 meat tubs,	3 00
3 ten qt. tin pails,	1 50
2 tin measures,	75
2 oil cans,	50
2 milk coolers,	7 00
strainer pail,	1 50
8 tin milk pails,	2 00
2 tin dippers,	50
2 tin dippers,	24
4 moulding boards,	1 00
chopping tray,	50
sieve,	25
2 kneading tables,	2 00
5 jacket lamps,	2 00
20 tin milk pans,	2 00
hanging lamp and bracket,	1 00
iron dish pan,	1 00
5 wash basins,	1 25
6 milk cans,	6 00
2 pint basins,	20
spring balance,	42
bread trough,	8 00
iron food steamer,	15 00
2 jacket kettles,	250 00
patent portable oven,	165 00
1 1-2 gross matches,	3 00
tobacco cutter,	1 00
2 peg cutters,	1 00
5 mop handles,	1 67
8 shoe knives,	80
3 cedar pails,	3 00
slop pail,	25
2 tin pans,	50
12 lanterns,	12 00
• 9 whip sticks,	2 25
3 whips,	1 20
49 new forks,	3 92
4 sets knives and forks,	4 00
6 knives,	50
12 doz. iron spoons,	9 00
lot insect powder,	15 00
insect bellows,	1 25

8 wash tubs,	8 00
2 wringers,	20 00
2 wringers,	10 00
jacket kettle and stove,	15 00
table,	25
2 baskets,	1 00
2 barrels soft soap,	2 00
8 slop pails,	1 33
2 iron bath tubs,	56 00
broom,	25
clothes pins,	40
15 zinc wash boards,	7 50
clothes horse,	1 50
4 mops,	40
2 hanging lamps,	2 00
2 wash basins,	50
water dipper,	15
23 iron bedsteads, beds and bedding,	92 00
20 c. c. chambers,	6 67
2 mops,	20
3 brooms,	75
2 lamps,	20
20 tin plates,	1 00
23 coffee dishes,	2 76
14 iron spoons,	42
2 iron dust pans,	1 00
12 knives and forks,	50
cedar pail,	1 00
3 slop pails,	36
wash dish,	25
2 towels,	20
10 chairs,	2 00
2 paint brushes,	2 00
3 varnish brushes,	2 25
12 pounds W. lead,	1 44
100 pounds mixed paint,	10 00
5 paint pots,	1 00
5 paint cans,	2 50
6 jugs,	1 50
6 galls. linseed oil,	6 00
2 box stoves,	20 00
stove and kettle,	3 00

stable pail,	1 00
bucket,	25
burial bier,	2 00
shaving horse,	50
carpenter's tools and bench,	25 00
turning lathe and apparatus,	20 00
boring machine and bits,	9 00
spirit level,	1 00
2 tenon saws,	12 00
6 axes and handles,	7 80
6 axes, (new)	6 75
7 axes,	3 50
14 axes,	3 50
15 ax handles,	5 00
bed irons,	50
glue kettle and fixtures,	1 00
box stove,	10 00
23 pounds spikes,	1 61
6 pounds nails,	42
6 long-handle dippers,	3 00
2 long-handle skimmers,	1 00
7 iron wash dishes,	3 50
19 brooms,	4 75
36 c. c. chambers,	12 00
2 set rein splicers,	2 00
12 wood pails,	2 50
1 tin pail,	50
11 pounds wicking,	2 75
1-2 barrel coal oil, (20 gals.)	6 20
oil can and faucet,	2 57
112 sheets,	67 20
82 sheets,	41 00
121 pillow cases,	30 25
20 under bed ticks,	20 00
25 under bed ticks,	18 75
24 comfortables,	48 00
2 quarts olive oil,	1 25
168 6-8 cords wood,	675 00
3000 pounds old lead pipe,	180 00
700 feet steam pipe,	84 00
extra stove for patent oven,	13 00
steam pump, (extra)	100 00



platform hay scales, . . . . .	165 00
2 sets tackle and blocks, . . . . .	16 00
books and stationery, . . . . .	10 00
24 joints cement pipe, . . . . .	12 00
8 whitewash brushes, . . . . .	5 00
1 carpet, 51 yards, . . . . .	50 00
6 curtains and fixtures, . . . . .	12 00
centre table, . . . . .	5 00
1 lamp, . . . . .	2 50
painted carpet, . . . . .	7 50
stair carpet, . . . . .	6 00
barometer, . . . . .	10 00
entry lamp, . . . . .	1 25
thermometer, . . . . .	75
table, . . . . .	1 25
carpet, . . . . .	4 00
bedstead, bed and bedding, . . . . .	26 00
light-stand, . . . . .	50
mirror, . . . . .	75
wash-stand, . . . . .	50
tin ewer and basin, . . . . .	2 50
curtain, . . . . .	50
chair, . . . . .	1 00
spittoon, . . . . .	50
1 carpet, 27 yards, . . . . .	40 50
3 curtains and fixtures, . . . . .	6 00
1 sofa, . . . . .	5 00
1 table, . . . . .	2 00
4 braided mats, . . . . .	6 00
2 rugs, . . . . .	2 50
4 cane-seat rocking chairs, . . . . .	6 00
3 cane-seat rocking chairs, . . . . .	1 50
1 ottoman and dust brush, . . . . .	50
2 lamps and brackets, . . . . .	5 00
1 mirror, . . . . .	2 00
sofa cushion, . . . . .	50
bedstead, bed and bedding, . . . . .	26 00
bureau, . . . . .	3 00
light-stand, . . . . .	50
wash-stand, ewer and basin, . . . . .	2 50
mirror, . . . . .	1 00
4 cane-seat chairs, . . . . .	2 00

2 curtains, . . . . .	50
4 cane-seat chairs, . . . . .	4 00
1 cane-seat rocking chair, . . . . .	2 00
feather bed, straw tick and two blankets, .	20 00
slop-pail, ewer and basin, . . . . .	2 50
spittoon and chamber, . . . . .	1 00
mirror, . . . . .	3 00
3 curtains, . . . . .	1 50
carpet, . . . . .	10 00
bedstead, bed and bedding, . . . . .	26 00
2 bureaus, . . . . .	12 00
1 cane-seat rocking chair, . . . . .	2 00
6 cane-seat chairs, . . . . .	3 00
1 table, . . . . .	2 50
mirror, . . . . .	1 50
spittoon and chamber, . . . . .	1 50
3 curtains, . . . . .	1 50
ewer, basin and slop pail, . . . . .	2 00
wash-stand, . . . . .	50
1 curtain, . . . . .	50
carpet, . . . . .	11 00
bureau, . . . . .	5 00
wash-stand, ewer and basin, . . . . .	2 00
mirror, . . . . .	2 00
painted carpet and rug, . . . . .	8 00
chest of drawers, . . . . .	3 00
cabinet chair, . . . . .	2 00
curtain, . . . . .	50
sofa, . . . . .	8 00
stove, . . . . .	3 50
3 curtains, . . . . .	1 50
1 stove, . . . . .	2 00
carpet, . . . . .	10 00
3 rugs, . . . . .	4 50
sofa, . . . . .	5 00
table, . . . . .	2 00
2 curtains, . . . . .	1 00
mirror, . . . . .	2 50
wash-stand, ewer and basin, . . . . .	2 00
bureau, . . . . .	5 00
1 cane-seat rocking chair, . . . . .	1 50
1 wood rocking chair, . . . . .	75

bedstead, bed and bedding,	. . .	20 00
1 chamber, . . . . .	. . .	33
2 cane-seat chairs, . . . . .	. . .	1 50
wood box, . . . . .	. . .	50
bedstead, bed and bedding,	. . .	20 00
2 rugs, . . . . .	. . .	3 00
1 rocking chair, . . . . .	. . .	75
wash-stand, ewer and basin,	. . .	2 00
mirror and curtain, . . . . .	. . .	1 50
1 c. chamber and oil cloth, . . . . .	. . .	1 00
bedstead, bed and bedding,	. . .	32 00
bureau, . . . . .	. . .	3 00
2 mats, . . . . .	. . .	2 00
mirror, . . . . .	. . .	2 50
light-stand and three curtains, . . . . .	. . .	2 00
2 cane-seat chairs, . . . . .	. . .	1 50
1 clock, . . . . .	. . .	3 50
2 c. c. chambers, . . . . .	. . .	1 00
2 bedsteads, beds and bedding,	. . .	28 00
1 mirror, . . . . .	. . .	2 50
chest and drawers, . . . . .	. . .	3 00
3 chairs, . . . . .	. . .	1 50
2 rugs, . . . . .	. . .	2 00
2 curtains, . . . . .	. . .	50
2 c. c. chambers, . . . . .	. . .	1 00
bedstead, bed and bedding,	. . .	15 00
1 chair, .50, curtain, .25, . . . . .	. . .	75
rug and chamber, . . . . .	. . .	75
2 bedsteads, beds and bedding,	. . .	20 00
2 chambers, \$1.00, 2 chairs, \$1.00,	. . .	2 00
1 rug, .25, 1 curtain, .50, . . . . .	. . .	75
2 bedsteads, beds and bedding,	. . .	15 00
1 stove and funnel, . . . . .	. . .	8 00
extension table, . . . . .	. . .	18 00
12 arm chairs, . . . . .	. . .	21 00
1 side table, . . . . .	. . .	1 50
1 stove, . . . . .	. . .	6 00
tea bell, . . . . .	. . .	50
2 hanging lamps and brackets,	. . .	2 50
11 table covers, . . . . .	. . .	11 00
3 1-2 dozen napkins, . . . . .	. . .	5 25
3 curtains, . . . . .	. . .	75

6 coal oil lamps, . . . . .	4 50
lot crockery and glass-ware in cupboard, .	60 00
3 castors and cruets, . . . . .	5 00
18 large plated spoons, . . . . .	5 50
36 plated teaspoons, . . . . .	8 00
5 sets knives and forks, . . . . .	5 00
2 knife boxes, . . . . .	50
dust brush, . . . . .	30
cook-stove and furniture, . . . . .	40 00
2 pine tables, . . . . .	2 00
1 brass timepiece, . . . . .	10 00
mirror, \$1.25; three chairs, \$1.25; two curtains, .50, . . . . .	3 00
hanging lamp, . . . . .	50
lot spices and extracts, . . . . .	9 75
lot firkins, buckets, jugs, stone, tin and iron ware, . . . . .	40 00
1 flour scoop, . . . . .	75
glass and stone jars of preserved fruit, .	20 00
1 refrigerator, . . . . .	25 00
4 cider kegs, . . . . .	3 50
4 stone jugs, . . . . .	1 33
1 meat box, . . . . .	2 00
churn, . . . . .	11 00
72 milk pans, . . . . .	21 60
5 bedsteads, . . . . .	12 50
32 flour barrels, . . . . .	8 50
4 dozen towels, . . . . .	3 00
54 sheets, . . . . .	54 00
34 pillow cases, . . . . .	17 00
18 bushel baskets, . . . . .	9 00
6 one-half bushel baskets, . . . . .	2 40
6 peck baskets, . . . . .	1 80
9 M. shingles, . . . . .	27 00
1500 feet hemlock boards, . . . . .	22 50
500 feet spruce boards, . . . . .	10 00
700 feet pine boards, . . . . .	16 00
1500 feet oak and ash plank, . . . . .	30 00
500 feet basswood boards, . . . . .	10 00
20 oak posts, . . . . .	6 67
sack of hair, . . . . .	1 00
wooden steps, . . . . .	2 50



2 fire dogs, . . . . .	1 50
shovel and tongs, . . . . .	25
lot screws, handles, butts, etc., . . . . .	10 00
10 bibles, . . . . .	10 00
2 sets hand-cuffs, . . . . .	7 00
1 set shackles, . . . . .	2 00
1 steak broiler, . . . . .	1 00
2 biscuit pans, . . . . .	1 00
1-2 ream sand paper, . . . . .	1 50
2 powder cans, . . . . .	67
2 1-2 pounds linen thread, . . . . .	3 00
9 dozen spools cotton, . . . . .	3 78
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Total amount of personal property, . . . . .	\$17,501 35
County Farm and buildings in Wilton, at cost, . . . . .	27,675 00
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Total amount of real and personal prop- erty, . . . . .	\$45,176 35

### COUNTY FARM RECEIPTS.

*For articles sold from the Farm, and the amount paid into  
the County Treasury.*

For stock, . . . . .	\$1,755 50
board, . . . . .	1,265 27
produce, . . . . .	667 03
milk, . . . . .	324 69
hay, . . . . .	165 57
hides, . . . . .	81 85
costs, . . . . .	63 82
lumber, . . . . .	25 87
tallow, . . . . .	24 25
labor, . . . . .	20 00
butter, . . . . .	14 55
stoves, . . . . .	14 00
rags and old iron, . . . . .	13 57
fresh meat, . . . . .	10 63
dry goods, . . . . .	9 30

flour, . . . . .	8 65
straw, . . . . .	8 55
boots and shoes, . . . . .	8 00
superphosphate, . . . . .	6 86
flour barrels, . . . . .	3 30
heads and feet, . . . . .	2 75

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## COUNTY FARM EXPENDITURES.

*To May Term, 1872.*

Paid H. Field, 1 pair oxen, . . . . .	\$250 00
D. L. Burton, 1 pair oxen, . . . . .	205 00
A. A. Ramsey, 1 pair oxen, . . . . .	203 75
E. A. Straw, dry goods, . . . . .	168 02
J. A. Davereaux, steam pipe, etc., . . . . .	169 40
John B. Varick, superphosphate, . . . . .	171 27
Crowell Bros. & Co., lead and oil, . . . . .	165 23
S. H. Dunbar, meats, . . . . .	150 88
Spalding & Stearns, grass seed and meat, . . . . .	126 00
H. M. Goodrich, eave troughs, etc., . . . . .	120 00
John B. Dane, 3 cows, . . . . .	120 00
C. H. Baker, fresh fish, . . . . .	105 85
H. Holt, comfortables, . . . . .	93 00
Ed. M. Diggins, labor, . . . . .	85 00
D. Sumner, painting, . . . . .	83 84
Dillon & Baldwin, meat, . . . . .	81 50
G. G. Bumpus, car fare, exp. and interest, . . . . .	79 15
D. C. Chase, labor, . . . . .	104 00
Wm. B. Hunkins, labor, . . . . .	104 00
Lizzie Livingstone, labor, . . . . .	43 21
Lizzie Sargent, labor, . . . . .	43 21
Mary Batchelder, labor, . . . . .	3 94
N. D. Foster & Co., tin ware, labor, etc., . . . . .	76 95
H. Trevitt, M. D., attendance and medicine, . . . . .	76 46
Dillon & Keyes, groceries, . . . . .	74 09
George C. Gilmore, dry goods, . . . . .	69 00
George W. Harris, boots and shoes, . . . . .	67 85

A. E. Jaques, dry goods and groceries, . . .	64 94
Geo. F. Barker, blacksmithing, . . .	66 02
John Mullfn, 1 cow, . . .	55 00
Barr & Co., hardware, . . .	51 94
William S. Kendall, insect powder, . . .	50 50
E. B. Cavender, 1 bull, . . .	50 00
A. G. & H. H. Reed, carpets, . . .	45 48
Howard & Copp, furniture, . . .	39 60
Transportation, freight, etc., . . .	39 23
Knowles & Sibley, rep. steam pipe, . . .	27 40
D. Gregg & Co., groceries and hardware, . .	33 56
Runnells & Chase, buffalo robe, etc., . .	27 00
A. Buttrick, grinding, . . .	25 08
American Fire Ex. Co., repairing, . . .	23 00
Rev. S. C. Fletcher, service, . . .	20 00
Ed. Lynch, horse hire and baiting, . . .	12 50
H. C. Merrill, grass seeds, . . .	14 00
John Bragg, 16 hens, . . .	13 15
E. Kidder, repairing boots and shoes, . .	13 15
J. C. Cotton, labor, . . .	13 00
Peter Kimball, potatoes, . . .	12 50
J. H. Thurber, insurance, . . .	12 00
A. L. Thayer, crackers, . . .	12 00
C. B. Burt, blacksmithing, . . .	11 38
G. Wyman, corn brooms, . . .	11 25
H. H. Dunklee, rep. plows, . . .	11 00
John Murdoch, labor, . . .	9 00
Wm. J. Bradbury, newspaper, postage, etc.,	8 45
D. Whiting & Sons, pine lumber, . . .	8 43
S. Witham, labor, . . .	8 00
Lewis Tingley, rep. harness, . . .	7 00
A. D. Wilson, fresh fish, . . .	6 00
D. B. Needham, curtains, . . .	5 57
E. P. Brown, furniture, . . .	4 45
N. P. Fitch, plow points and express, . .	3 65
S. S. Davis, . . .	3 10
H. J. Fox, door springs, . . .	2 75
W. S. Taggard, rep. boots and shoes, . .	1 85
E. Runell, whip stocks, . . .	1 50

## COUNTY FARM EXPENDITURES.

*To September Term, 1872.*

Paid Spalding & Stearns, flour and grain, . . .	\$386 64
Knowles & Co., corn, . . . . .	312 19
S. H. Dunbar, meats, . . . . .	310 27
Dillon & Keyes, groceries and meal, . . .	271 19
C. F. & G. S. Peavey, 1 pair cattle, . . .	235 00
A. E. Jaques, dry goods and groceries, . . .	136 58
D. Sumner, painting, . . . . .	123 03
Geo W. Harris & Co., boots and shoes, . . .	93 50
Amoskeag Manf. Co., dry goods, . . . . .	88 68
C. H. Baker, fresh fish, . . . . .	90 68
George F. Barker, blacksmithing, . . . . .	78 46
A. A. Ramsey, rye, etc., . . . . .	69 53
Rumford Chemical Works, superphosphate, . . .	66 00
John Bragg, labor, self and oxen, . . . . .	63 25
G. G. Bumpus, car fare, exp. and interest, . . .	54 09
D. C. Chase, labor, . . . . .	120 00
S. M. Witham, labor, . . . . .	120 00
Lizzie Livingstone, labor, . . . . .	52 70
Lizzie M. Sargent, labor, . . . . .	52 70
Nathan A. Knights, labor, . . . . .	27 12
Daniel Hanniford, labor, . . . . .	44 00
Union Oil Co., soap stock, . . . . .	59 55
A. W. Snow, beans and peas, . . . . .	58 21
Transportation, freight, etc., . . . . .	57 24
F. & F. Rice & Co., groceries, . . . . .	55 40
W. P. Dunklee, plows, . . . . .	37 45
Manchester Loco. Works, iron grates, . . . . .	30 45
Mary H. Batchelder, labor, . . . . .	28 93
D. Gregg & Co., groceries and hardware, . . .	23 71
Joseph W. Stiles, labor, . . . . .	20 50
Lewis Tingley, repairing harnesses, . . . . .	19 52
N. D. Foster, tin and wooden ware, . . . . .	76 16
C. M. Everett, three pigs, . . . . .	15 00
A. Buttrick, grinding, . . . . .	13 87
G. Came, labor, . . . . .	12 00
Henry C. Merrill, potatoes, . . . . .	11 75
Geo. W. Wallace, hats and caps, . . . . .	9 60
W. J. Bradbury, newspapers and books, . . .	9 18



Barr & Co., hardware, . . . . .	7 50
W. H. Osgood, labor on apple trees, . . . . .	7 00
E. Kidder, repairing boots and shoes, . . . . .	6 05
F. C. Ryan, services, . . . . .	6 00
Avery & Maynard, cabbage plants, . . . . .	4 50
N. L. Barrett, tripe, . . . . .	3 00
A. G. Fairbanks, brooms, . . . . .	2 60
Parker & Gannett, cultivator teeth, . . . . .	2 50
Rust Bros. & Bird, 2 gallons oil, . . . . .	2 00
Edward Lynch, horse baiting, . . . . .	7 00
J. Fleeman, M. D., medical attendance, . . . . .	66 66
J. Q. A. Sargent, aqueduct pipe, steam, . . . . .	599 26
McKean & Andrews, insurance, . . . . .	54 00
McKean & Andrews, " . . . . .	45 00

## COUNTY FARM EXPENDITURES.

*To January Term, 1873.*

Paid Spalding & Stearns, flour and cider barrels, . . . . .	952 75
A. J. Turner, 4 cows, 1 bull, 1 yoke steers, horse, . . . . .	515 00
F. & F. Rice & Co., groceries, . . . . .	334 87
S. H. Dunbar, meats, . . . . .	272 58
Houghton, Perkins, Word & Co., dry goods, . . . . .	266 34
Geo. A. Dunklee, 1 yoke oxen, . . . . .	250 00
David Whiting & Sons, grinding & lumber, . . . . .	200 48
Geo. W. Harris & Co., boots and shoes, . . . . .	214 10
Runnels & Chase, clothing, hats, caps, etc., . . . . .	169 42
C. A. & H. L. Emerson, carpenter work, . . . . .	150 81
N. D. Foster, tinning roof, etc., . . . . .	144 18
J. W. Stiles, 2 cows, beef, etc., . . . . .	139 30
Francis Whiting, beef, . . . . .	111 57
A. E. Jaques, dry goods and groceries, . . . . .	101 53
G. G. Bumpus, car fare, exp. and int. . . . .	55 72
Nathan A. Knights, labor, . . . . .	150 86
D. C. Chase, labor and poultry, . . . . .	128 45
S. M. Witham, labor, . . . . .	120 00
Lizzie M. Sargent, labor, . . . . .	51 86
Lizzie Livingstone, labor, . . . . .	48 86

Daniel Hanniford, labor, . . . .	44 00
J. Fleeman, M. D., attendance, . .	66 66
D. Gregg & Co., hardware, groceries, etc.,	89 97
Geo. W. Campbell, 2 cows, . . . .	76 50
Henry Holt, comfortables, . . . .	72 00
Nashua Cement Pipe Works, flour and pipe,	72 00
John B. Dane, 1 cow, . . . .	60 00
William Robinson, 1 cow and calf, . .	60 00
Transportation, freight, etc., . . .	49 83
Dillon & Keyes, groceries, . . . .	47 22
George Barker, blacksmithing, . . .	43 14
E. Nickerson, salt fish, . . . .	41 00
Marshall & Bros., beans, . . . .	37 63
A. O. Barker, lumber, . . . .	33 32
Francis Baker, salt, . . . .	32 96
Barr & Co., hardware, . . . .	31 43
H. Hopkins, sawing lumber, . . . .	30 42
H. M. Goodrich, flour barrels, . . .	30 00
A. A. Ramsey, rep. school house, . .	29 54
A. Buttrick, grinding, . . . .	25 74
Edward Lynch, ladders, etc., . . .	22 92
H. O. Draper, making cider, . . . .	17 23
Whiting House, meat, . . . .	16 47
J. & C. Hesselton, mason work, . . .	15 00
Reed & Jackman, carpet, . . . .	14 40
C. B. Burt, blacksmithing, . . . .	12 77
Fales & Rich, crackers, . . . .	11 25
H. H. Eaton, 2 clocks, . . . .	9 75
Wm. J. Bradbury, papers, stationery, etc.,	9 50
Edward Kidder, rep. boots and shoes, .	7 50
Charles Everett, 1 pig, . . . .	5 00
Geo. R. Cushing, flour barrels, . . .	4 65
R. P. Eaton & Co., N. E. Farmer, (paper),	4 50
John Bragg, meat, . . . .	4 10
J. Q. Flint, rep. wagon, . . . .	3 90
J. A. Deveraugh, couplings, . . . .	2 61
Lewis Tingley, rep. harnesses, . . .	1 05
C. H. Baker, fresh fish, . . . .	71 43
Mark N. Spaulding, cows, . . . .	264 00
Merchants' & Farmers' Insurance Co., in- surance, . . . .	45 00

Town of Wilton, in full for taxes to February 18, 1873, . . . . .	210 00
G. G. Bumpus and wife, services for one year to January 1, 1873, . . . . .	800 00
Total, . . . . .	<u>\$14,917 20</u>

### RECAPITULATION.

Cash paid for all expenses at the County Farm by the county Treasurer, . . . . .	\$14,917 25
Estimate interest on real estate at cost, (\$27,675.00), . . . . .	1,660 50
	<u>\$16,577 75</u>
Inventory of personal property Jan. 1, 1873, . . . . .	17,501 35
Inventory of personal property Jan. 1, 1872, . . . . .	16,179 29
	<u>\$1,322 06</u>
Increase of inventory, . . . . .	\$1,322 06
Produce and stock sold from the farm and paid into the County Treasury, . . . . .	\$4,494 01
	<u>5,816 07</u>
Balance against the farm, . . . . .	\$10,761 68

Number of weeks board furnished to inmates for the year ending Dec. 31, 1872, is 6,156 weeks.

Dividing the balance against the farm, (\$10,761.68) by the number of weeks (6156), making the average cost per week \$1.76 1-2.

One thousand four hundred seventy-three dollars and eighty-eight cents has been expended during the year for repairs and improvements, which is included in the above amount, (\$10,761.68) viz:

For paints and painting, . . . . .	\$372 10
tin eave troughs and conductor, . . . . .	120 00

ventilation and addition to insane ward, .	382 52
1344 ft. two-inch iron pipe for water works,	599 26
	<hr/> \$1,473 88

If this amount had been deducted and charged to the cost of the farm as a permanent improvement, the average price of board per week would be but \$1.51.

The following statement shows the amount expended for the support of county paupers each year, at the farm, and off the farm, commencing with the year 1864, exclusive of all sums paid for buildings and other permanent improvements, but including interest on real estate :

	Average weekly number at farm	Amount paid for paupers at farm.	Amount paid for paupers off farm.	Totals.
Paid in 1864.....	138 2-13	\$9,455 53	\$4,606 32	\$14,061 85
Paid in 1865.....	133 1-2	10,662 64	4,253 49	14,916 13
Paid in 1866.....	129 1-2	10,419 75	4,118 68	14,538 43
Paid in 1867.....	91 1-2	9,827 40	4,408 88	14,236 26
Paid in 1868.....	96	11,122 89	3,817 97	14,940 86
Paid in 1869.....	115 1-2	11,804 18	4,463 80	16,267 98
Paid in 1870.....	107 1-7	8,627 43	4,657 76	13,285 19
Paid in 1871.....	111	9,333 49	4,922 16	14,255 65
Paid in 1872.....	118	9,287 80	5,791 52	15 079 32

## EXPENSE OF COUNTY PAUPERS NOT AT THE FARM, FOR ELEVEN YEARS, ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1872.

TOWNS.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.
Amherst.....	\$307 52	\$144 22	\$183 51	\$106 75	\$217 73	\$67 20	\$94 25	\$131 00	\$20 00	\$72 75	\$133 14
Aurini.....	121 27	79 40	118 78	37 13	46 25	.....	45 14	89 05	35 75	104 50	47 00
Bedford.....	154 91	157 35	18 20	30 50	.....	18 02	91 80	17 00	3 00	7 50	15 00
Bennington.....	60 92	100 50	123 00	158 67	156 38	39 75	24 87	17 00	.....	.....	.....
Brookline.....	.....	.....	34 80	.....	66 56	13 00	13 00	89 68	.....	.....	17 80
Deering.....	164 50	200 16	205 62	12 75	109 77	111 90	94 00	151 70	104 07	57 00	111 92
Frances-town.....	184 9	99 24	138 37	145 35	267 25	61 76	65 92	90 03	.....	87 41	93 52
Goffstown.....	232 42	144 82	102 62	187 78	112 12	163 40	85 00	849 80	250 58	131 00	123 00
Greenfield.....	313 73	140 05	48 47	176 87	256 51	236 44	231 71	149 00	161 75	154 75	253 38
Greenville.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hancock.....	188 88	61 00	59 27	52 00	52 00	99 76	108 33	297 11	167 75	237 42	173 50
Hillsborough.....	244 10	185 25	66 50	82 00	168 35	44 22	100 75	192 18	177 73	19 12	151 80
Hollis.....	33 12	13 00	33 67	8 50	2 00	16 60	23 84	39 02	8 00	4 00	19 25
Hudson.....	175 78	88 20	18 00	15 00	5 00	27 75	13 50	76 52	33 82	106 00	27 00
Lyndeborough.....	148 26	113 00	33 00	9 00	12 00	55 83	59 14	119 50	131 20	244 00	317 29
Litchfield.....	.....	16 50	.....	.....	7 00	.....	.....	102 50	53 78	58 38	51 86
Manchester.....	2,577 75	1,806 00	2,166 63	1,555 64	1,147 97	1,219 24	968 28	1,094 00	1,624 00	2,038 74	2,313 97
Mason.....	143 18	170 99	175 02	326 25	326 25	139 13	87 78	129 80	81 35	63 88	135 79
Merrimack.....	57 11	86 92	53 85	20 00	33 59	35 50	89 39	41 36	91 05	33 58	41 58
Mont Vernon.....	201 31	79 89	41 37	26 00	26 05	8 50	86 40	40 25	59 40	67 50	67 50
Milford.....	430 52	149 75	41 45	108 00	174 30	55 25	99 45	193 94	181 92	39 18	100 33
Nashua.....	1,683 51	1,319 28	870 27	766 50	473 23	678 60	608 30	463 77	403 84	642 45	947 75
New Boston.....	156 19	93 16	89 86	34 00	66 47	106 06	189 76	99 05	21 75	20 61	33 00
New Ipswich.....	706 10	566 44	43 30	57 45	105 81	396 40	50 85	10 01	.....	70 14	78 80
Pelham.....	108 72	20 00	.....	35 50	42 42	78 01	24 70	11 50	13 73	9 50	19 37
Peterborough.....	448 30	182 04	37 75	54 65	149 73	161 20	151 55	212 90	423 11	458 32	159 30
Sharon.....	3 32	8 78	.....	4 48	.....	.....	.....	.....	9 00	5 00	.....
Temple.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24 28	152 14	52 00	35 00	72 00
Wilton.....	61 00	80 79	61 05	115 94	52 39	.....	.....	99 39	2 50	.....	58 78
Windsor.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47 50	.....	.....	4 50	.....	.....	.....
Weare.....	196 75	167 29	211 21	172 80	173 35	266 95	286 84	133 85	336 66	94 01	238 03
	\$801 5 86	\$6,283 32	\$4,606 32	\$4,253 49	\$4,118 68	\$4,408 86	\$3,817 97	\$4,463 80	\$4,057 76	\$4,922 16	\$5,791 52

For support of paupers not at almshouse.....

For support of paupers at almshouse.....

Total amount paid for supporting paupers last year.....

\$15,079 32



## STATISTICS OF INMATES.

Number in almshouse Jan. 1, 1872, . . . . .	108
Admitted during the year, . . . . .	146
Discharged during the year, . . . . .	123
Supported during the year, . . . . .	254
Births during the year, . . . . .	2
Deaths during the year, . . . . .	11
Weekly average during the year, . . . . .	118
Number in almshouse Jan. 1, 1873, . . . . .	120
Number of children provided with homes during the year 1872, . . . . .	1

Out of one hundred and forty-six admitted during the year, twenty-nine were sentenced to the House of Correction, and ten taken as boarders from towns.

Of the one hundred and forty-six admitted during the year 1872, there were from

Manchester, . . . . .	52
Nashua, . . . . .	49
Peterboro', . . . . .	1
Wilton, . . . . .	4
Goffstown, . . . . .	4
Hudson, . . . . .	1
Mason, . . . . .	7
Milford, . . . . .	1
Deering, . . . . .	5
Lyndeborough, . . . . .	5
New Boston, . . . . .	1
Antrim, . . . . .	1
Sharon, . . . . .	1
Hillsboro', . . . . .	2
Temple, . . . . .	2
Hollis, . . . . .	1
Greenfield, . . . . .	1
Amherst, . . . . .	2
Born at the farm, . . . . .	2
Transient, . . . . .	4

## NATIONALITIES.

Americans, . . . . .	61
Irish, . . . . .	48
French, . . . . .	23
English, . . . . .	8
Scotch, . . . . .	2
Colored, . . . . .	1
Indian, . . . . .	1
Portuguese, . . . . .	2
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Number at almshouse January 1, 1873, 5 years old and under, . . . . .	4
Number between 5 and 10 years, . . . . .	8
“ “ 10 “ 20 “ . . . . .	19
“ “ 20 “ 30 “ . . . . .	12
“ “ 30 “ 40 “ . . . . .	16
“ “ 40 “ 50 “ . . . . .	19
“ “ 50 “ 60 “ . . . . .	14
“ “ 60 “ 70 “ . . . . .	14
“ “ 70 “ 80 “ . . . . .	12
“ “ 80 “ 90 “ . . . . .	2
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Insane and partially insane, . . . . .	35
Idiotic, . . . . .	17
Males, . . . . .	58
Females, . . . . .	62

Of the whole number in the house, thirty-six males and twenty-eight females are not available for any kind of labor.

Number at County almshouse January 1, 1873, 120, viz :  
from

Manchester, . . . . .	47
Nashua, . . . . .	22
Deering, . . . . .	6
Peterborough, . . . . .	5
New Boston, . . . . .	4

Unknown, . . . . .	4
Antrim, . . . . .	3
Hillsborough, . . . . .	3
Wilton, . . . . .	3
Mason, . . . . .	3
Lyndeborough, . . . . .	3
Goffstown, . . . . .	2
Brookline, . . . . .	2
Weare, . . . . .	2
New Ipswich, . . . . .	2
Milford, . . . . .	2
Hollis, . . . . .	2
Bedford, . . . . .	1
Hudson, . . . . .	1
Merrimack, . . . . .	1
Litchfield, . . . . .	1
Sharon, . . . . .	1
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	120

Of the above number 9 were sentenced ; from

Nashua, . . . . .	8
Wilton, . . . . .	1
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	9

Ten were taken as boarders ; from

New Boston, . . . . .	2
Peterborough, . . . . .	2
Wilton, . . . . .	2
Goffstown, . . . . .	2
Litchfield, . . . . .	1
Nashua, . . . . .	1

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### ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF PRODUCE RAISED IN 1872.

English hay, . . . . .	69 1-2 tons.
Clover hay, second crop, . . . . .	15 1-4 "
Run hay, . . . . .	5 1-2 "
Barley fodder, . . . . .	15 1-2 "
Corn fodder, . . . . .	27 "

Barley straw, . . . . .	12	tons.
Potatoes, . . . . .	1,551	bushels.
Beets, . . . . .	30	"
Carrots, . . . . .	25	"
Turnips, . . . . .	180	"
Corn, . . . . .	350	"
Apples, . . . . .	1,500	"
Barley, . . . . .	387	"
Beans, . . . . .	25	"
Sweet corn, . . . . .	10	"
Cucumbers, . . . . .	25	"
Tomatoes, . . . . .	12	"
Pork, . . . . .	6,140	pounds.
Beef, . . . . .	4,837	"
Cabbages, . . . . .	1,560	heads.
Butter, . . . . .	950	pounds.
Milk, . . . . .	6,219	cans.

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### PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY:

*Gentlemen* :—I have the honor to present to you my first annual report of the sanitary condition of the county almshouse.

The whole number of persons provided for during the past year has been two hundred fifty-four. Most of them, as usual in such institutions, were those who have been rendered unable to support themselves, by reason of misfortune, sickness and insanity, vice and intemperance.

The general health of the inmates, under the above circumstances, has been good. No particular disease has invaded the institution. The exemptness from it, no doubt, in a great measure, is attributed to the cleanliness, good care and attention of the Matron and Superintendent of the institution, to whom I am under much obligation for their kindness and untiring attention to the sick inmates of the institution under my charge.

I would commend to the commissioners much praise for their ingenuity and wise manner in which they have caused

the ventilation of the apartments of the insane building. It has attributed much to the comfort and health of the inmates.

The number of deaths during the year has been eleven (see table shown); mostly from old age and incurable diseases under which they were afflicted when brought to the institution—one of them hopeless insanity.

There have been two births during the year.

Very respectfully yours,

J. FLEEMAN, *Physician*.

Wilton, N. H., January 1, 1873.

### DEATHS.

1872.	Names,	Age.	Cause of Death.
Mar. 7	Mary S. Moor,	54 y'rs.	Consumption.
" 12	Mary A. Thompson,	36 "	Fits.
" 29	Oliver Barrett,	77 "	Cancer.
May 7	Russell Ray,	81 "	Gangrene of the foot.
July 27	Frank Austin,	11 mos.	Infantile.
Aug. 16	Nancy Wilson,	72 y'rs.	Bilious colic.
Sept. 11	Mary Hogan,	83 "	Old age.
" 18	Mary A. Blood,	68 "	Disease of liver.
" 19	Emma Heaton,	37 "	Insanity.
Nov. 1	James Searls,	27 "	Paralysis.
" 1	Phillip Corniss,	11 mos.	Disease of bowels.



## CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

## TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY.

*Gentlemen:* I have the honor to submit the following report of the religious services at the county home during the past year:

A sermon has been preached on the evening of the third Sabbath day of each month, excepting the month of August, when it was omitted on account of my absence from town. Rev. I. S. Lincoln has very kindly preached occasionally on other Sabbaths. The scriptures have been read and prayer offered on the occasions of burial of the dead, in the presence of the inmates, the officers and assistants so far as possible attending, and manifesting their interest in these services for the moral and religious benefit of those who there find a home.

Services other than the stated preaching services, have not been attempted. On account of the distance of the home from the church it is quite impossible for me to devote more time to the wants of the institution, and owing to the small amount of help employed, they cannot, without making the Sabbath a day of hardest labor, support a Sunday School. The suggestions of my report of last year concerning a library, to which you gave your approval, have not met with the success they seemed to deserve, and which we think they would, could we sustain at the almshouse a continuous school, meeting every Sabbath. In looking over the past five years of my connection with this institution, and comparing it with others which I have taken pains to visit, I can make but one suggestion for the moral and religious improvement of the children. It would be of great advantage to have a teacher permanently employed, who should have charge of the education of the children during the week, and gather them for religious instruction on Sunday.

I am happy again to bear testimony to the helpfulness and constant interest of the officers and help in this important part of the care of the poor, their religious and moral consolation and improvement; and although it sometimes seems to be unthankfully received, they, with us all,

must look for our choicest reward in the consciousness of having tried to imitate and follow our blessed Master.

Very respectfully yours,

S. C. FLETCHER.

### JAILER'S REPORT.

*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners for the County of Hillsborough, the Jailer would make the following report :*

Number of prisoners in jail January 1, 1872, .	38
Committed during the year, . . . . .	131
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	169
Discharged, . . . . .	122
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Leaving in jail December 31, 1872, . . .	47
Weekly average of prisoners from January to	
May terms, 1872, . . . . .	\$35 09
From May to September, 1872, . . . . .	32 94
From September to January, 1873, . . . . .	38 16
Average for the year, . . . . .	35 40
Paid county treasurer, for labor of prisoners	
one year, . . . . .	\$600 00
Fines and costs collected, . . . . .	361 48
Bail forfeited, — . . . . .	600 00

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

A. G. FAIRBANKS, *Jailer.*

December 31, 1872.

# JAIL EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING, JANUARY TERM, 1873.

## *To May Term, 1872.*

Paid Dr. G. E. Hersey, physician, . . . . .	\$15 00
A. G. Fairbanks, jailer, for board of prisoners from January 1 to May 5, 1872, at \$2.50 per week, . . . . .	1,579 31
A. G. Fairbanks, for clothing for prisoners, . . . . .	191 35
A. G. Fairbanks, for varnishing rooms, cleaning vault, lime, wood, stationery, repairs of road, . . . . .	32 75
Amoskeag S. F. E. Co. No. 1, pumping water at jail, . . . . .	16 00
Daniels & Co., whitewash brushes and glue, . . . . .	6 00
Varney & Nichols, for labor on repairs, . . . . .	10 89
Haines & Wallace, chestnut lumber, . . . . .	6 12
Fairbanks & Downs, 2 stop-cocks, lead pipe and repairs, . . . . .	16 26

## *To September Term, 1872.*

Paid Manchester Gas Light Co., brick and joist, . . . . .	1 86
Wm. P. Stratton, repairs on steam pipes, . . . . .	2 75
Dr. G. E. Hersey, physician, . . . . .	15 00
J. M. Maynard, lumber and labor on jail buildings, . . . . .	33 50
E. P. Richardson, insurance, jail buildings, . . . . .	56 25
J. H. Thurber, insurance, jail buildings, . . . . .	60 00
A. G. Fairbanks, discount on contract, cleaning vault, painting, repairs on street, stationery, and chloride of lime, . . . . .	79 70
A. G. Fairbanks, clothing for prisoners, May to September term, . . . . .	116 90
E. P. Johnson, for coal, . . . . .	305 87
Colley & Kelly, for stock and labor in painting jail, . . . . .	550 94
A. G. Fairbanks, for board of prisoners, May 6 to September 1, 1872, at \$2.50 per week, . . . . .	1,432 85

*To January Term, 1873.*

Paid E. G. Haynes, for cement and mason work,	9 85
Dr. R. J. P. Goodwin, medical services and medicine, . . . . .	10 00
J. Q. A. Sargent, piping, couplings and labor, . . . . .	24 69
A. G. Fairbanks, clothing for prisoners, September to January term, . . . .	254 50
Varney & Nichols, steam packing, labor, repairs on windows, . . . . .	14 00
G. B. Fogg, repairs on locks, . . . . .	1 00
A. G. Fairbanks, cleaning vault, dentistry, kindling wood and lime, . . . . .	20 60
A. G. Fairbanks, alteration and repairs of room in house, . . . . .	150 00
A. G. Fairbanks, lumber, paint and re- pairs in house, . . . . .	25 00
Fairbanks & Downs, boot between stoves, stove pipe and labor, . . . . .	34 00
Evans & Russell, for lumber, . . . . .	7 45
H. J. Fox, for 8 door springs, . . . . .	16 00
Daniels & Co., window glass and putty, . .	7 67
Waite Brothers, curtain cloth, . . . . .	2 59
Concord Railroad, transportation, . . . .	61
J. Q. A. Sargent, pipings, fittings and labor, . . . . .	9 00
A. G. Fairbanks, board of prisoners, Sep- tember 2, to January term, . . . . .	1,773 37
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	\$6,889 63

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 MISCELLANEOUS.
*To May Term, 1872.*

Paid commisioners for costs and travel in Hudson case, . . . . .	34 20
Moore & Langley, printing 1200 copies annual reports, . . . . .	112 00
Joseph Langdell, horse hire, . . . . .	23 25

E. P. Brown, committing to jail and House of Correction, . . . . .	35 00
J. F. James, for costs in coroner's inquest on body of Rosa Burke, of Manchester, . . . . .	233 56
S. H. Murdough, committing to House of Correction, . . . . .	5 00
E. P. Emerson, costs and fees, . . . . .	40 17
John Barry, committing to jail, . . . . .	5 00
New Hampshire Orphans' Home, for expense of procuring homes for 5 children taken from County Farm, . . . . .	100 00
William Barrett, expenses, Rosa Burke case, . . . . .	44 00
J. P. Hutchinson, costs in the case of inquest upon the body of Sarah Conroy, of Nashua, . . . . .	82 96
J. R. Miller, costs and committing to jail, . . . . .	23 14
C. G. Hatch, costs, State vs. Ryon & als., . . . . .	58 45

*To September Term, 1872.*

Paid Moses Clark, committing prisoners to County Farm, . . . . .	22 00
Joseph Langdell, horse and carriage hire, . . . . .	24 25
Joseph Langdell, horse and carriage hire in case of Wilton hearing vs. County, . . . . .	12 00
Jacob F. James, coroner's inquest on body of David Woolford, Manchester, . . . . .	113 04
H. T. Morrill, expense collecting testimony Wilton vs. County, . . . . .	20 00
John B. Clarke, publishing treasurer's report, . . . . .	25 00
A. G. Fairbanks, collecting testimony vs. County, . . . . .	14 19
County of Rockingham, for paupers, . . . . .	9 00
James F. Wallace, making schedule and estimate, water works, . . . . .	16 00
Hon. A. F. Stevens, attorney's fees in case Wilton vs. County, . . . . .	132 00
E. P. Emerson, costs in trials and witness' fees, . . . . .	49 88



S. H. Murdough, for committing to jail, Reform School and House of Correction,	56 00
B. C. Buttrick, for committing to jail and House of Correction, . . . . .	10 00
W. B. Patten, for committing to jail, . . . . .	26 00

*To January Term, 1873.*

Paid E. P. Emerson, costs and fees, . . . . .	38 77
Joseph Langdell, horse and carriage hire,	19 50
Morrison & Stanley, costs and fees, County vs. City of Manchester, . . . . .	314 25
Samuel Upton, justice's fees for back dues, August 15, 1865, to October 5, 1872, . . . . .	272 62
Moses Clark, costs, . . . . .	22 90
S. H. Murdough, committing to House of Correction and Reform School, . . . . .	31 00
J. Q. A. Sargent, invalid bed, . . . . .	45 00
W. B. Patten, committing to jail and col- lected by jailer, . . . . .	6 00
Stephen Gardner, one-half the fines in ten liquor cases, less one, for expenses at May term, 1872, . . . . .	225 00
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	\$2,302 13

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' SERVICES AND EXPENSES.

*To May Term, 1872.*

Paid William W. Johnson, . . . . .	193 25
George W. Riddle, . . . . .	256 75
H. T. Morrill, . . . . .	209 49

*To September Term, 1872.*

Paid Geo. W. Riddle, . . . . .	293 64
H. T. Morrill, . . . . .	182 62
William W. Johnson, . . . . .	153 79

*To January Term, 1873.*

Paid George W. Riddle, . . . . .	275 50
H. T. Morrill, . . . . .	202 50
William W. Johnson, . . . . .	180 08
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	\$1,947 62

## STATIONERY.

*To May Term, 1872.*

Paid William H. Fisk, for note paper, envelopes, pencils, ink, holders, and commentaries for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	33 69
Wm. H. Fisk, letter paper and envelopes for Probate Office, . . . . .	10 75
M. V. B. Green, bill files for Probate Office, . . . . .	3 50
M. V. B. Green, books, dockets, pencils and pens for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	20 50
E. J. Copp & Co., indexes, record books, ink and pencils, for Register of Deeds, . . . . .	53 88
E. J. Copp & Co., stationery, paper, ink and envelopes for Probate Office, . . . . .	6 00
E. J. Copp & Co., ink, envelopes, paper, pen holders, etc., for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	16 49
R. W. Berry, blanks for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	23 25
C. V. Dearborn, postage, expressage, P. O. box, repairing chairs, . . . . .	7 00
R. W. Berry, blanks for Probate office, . . . . .	8 75
Globe Steam Printing Co., 300 blanks, . . . . .	5 00

*To September Term, 1872.*

Paid E. J. Copp & Co., record book, pencils, paper and ink for Register of Deeds, . . . . .	26 58
E. J. Copp & Co., paper for Probate office, . . . . .	2 25
E. J. Copp & Co., 8 reams legal letter paper for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	40 00
Moore & Langley, record books, indexes, for Register of Deeds, . . . . .	57 25

Moore & Langley, 500 blank road notices,	5 00
R. W. Berry, records and blanks for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	66 50
R. W. Berry, blanks for Probate office, . . . . .	48 05
M. V. B. Green, waste dockets, envelopes, binding, pencils, ink, paper, testimony books, for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	54 03
G. A. Ramsdell, pens and pencils for the Court, . . . . .	15 50
C. V. Dearborn, cleaning office, pens, postage, P. O. box, for Probate office, . . . . .	7 85

*To January Term, 1873.*

Paid M. V. B. Green, blanks, blank books, stationery, for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	48 50
E. J. Copp & Co., paper and ink for Probate office, . . . . .	3 55
E. J. Copp & Co., records, index books, pens, ink, and stationery for Register of Deeds, . . . . .	55 61
E. J. Copp & Co., paper, envelopes, tape, for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	22 15
R. W. Berry, blanks for Clerk of Court, . . . . .	70 25
R. W. Berry, blanks for Probate Office, . . . . .	50 00
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	\$761 88

STATE REFORM SCHOOL.

*To May Term, 1872.*

Paid City of Manchester for inmates at Reform School, . . . . .	\$572 29
City of Manchester for inmates at Reform School, . . . . .	569 71
City of Manchester for inmates at Reform School, . . . . .	212 20
City of Manchester for inmates at Reform School, . . . . .	198 86
Town of Hollis for Elmer S. Woodbridge,	52 00
Town of Goffstown for Walter Johonnet,	52 00

*To September Term, 1872.*

Paid City of Manchester for inmates at Reform School, . . . . .	\$490 30
City of Manchester for inmates at Reform School, . . . . .	257 71
Town of Hollis for Elmer S. Woodbridge, . . . . .	26 00
Town of Goffstown for Walter Johonnet, . . . . .	26 00
Town of Hillsborough for Nathan S. Kimball, . . . . .	26 00

*To January Term, 1873.*

Paid City of Manchester for inmates at Reform School, . . . . .	\$591 14
less amount paid on account of Geo. G. N. Prescott, from March 12, 1868, to Jan. 31, 1872, having a residence in Manchester, . . . . .	335 57
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	\$255 57
City of Nashua for inmates at Reform School, from May 1, 1866, to July 31, 1872, sent from Police Court, but not having a residence in Nashua, are charged to the County of Hillsborough by order of the Court, . . . . .	\$1,108 59
City of Nashua, inmates at Reform School Aug. 1, to Oct. 31, 1872, . . . . .	40 86
City of Nashua, inmates at Reform School, . . . . .	351 45
Town of Hollis for Elmer S. Woodbridge at Reform School, . . . . .	26 00
Town of Goffstown for Walter Johonnet, at Reform School, . . . . .	26 00
Town of Hillsborough for N. S. Kimball, at Reform School, . . . . .	26 00
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	\$4,317 54

## NEW HAMPSHIRE INSANE ASYLUM.

Paid Dr. J. P. Bancroft, for Daniel Page, from Oct. 8, 1871, to Jan. 25, 1872, . . . .	\$94 58
Dr. J. P. Bancroft, for Mary Hughes, from Jan. 1, 1872, to April 10, 1872, . . . .	84 95
Dr. J. P. Bancroft, for Arthur Metzler, from Jan. 1, 1872, to Jan. 22, 1872, . . . .	26 50
Dr. J. P. Bancroft, for Mary Shehan, from Feb. 14, 1872, to April 30, 1872, . . . .	58 05
H. W. Marvell, for taking Dr. E. Aiken to Insane Asylum, . . . . .	11 15
Dr. J. P. Bancroft, for Mary Hughes, from May 1, 1872 to June 1, 1872, . . . . .	21 85
Dr. J. P. Bancroft, for Mary Shehan, from May 1 to July 1, 1872, . . . . .	77 73
Dr. J. P. Bancroft bal. due on acct. of Kate Murphy, June 1, 1872, . . . . .	13 46
A. G. Fairbanks, for John Daley at Asy- lum, bal. due for board, . . . . .	94 75
A. G. Fairbanks, conveying Mary Hughes and Kate Murphy from Asylum to Coun- ty farm, . . . . .	10 00
A. G. Fairbanks, for John Daley at Asy- lum, bal. due for board, . . . . .	66 70
Dr. J. P. Bancroft, for John Daley at Asy- lum, to Jan. 31, 1873, . . . . .	135 90
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	\$695 62

## COUNTY BUILDINGS, NASHUA.

Paid N. H. Foster, for building coal bin, . . . .	\$7 25
Weston & Stevens, whitening record rooms, glue, etc, . . . . .	19 00
A. G. Ramsdell, water rent, fixing chairs, wood, envelopes, and cleaning office, clerk's office, . . . . .	17 70 .
N. H. Foster, repairs in Register of Deeds' office, . . . . .	6 89



Dana W. King, gas bill one year, ending Oct. 1, 1872, and cleaning office, . . .	15 75
G. A. Ramsdell, water rent for Register of Deeds' office from July 1, to Oct. 1872, . . .	8 00
Pennichuck Water Works, water rent Record's office to Jan. 1, 1873, . . . . .	4 00
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### COURT HOUSE EXPENSES.

Paid Manchester Gas Light Co., from Jan. 1 to Feb. 1, 1872, for gas, . . . . .	\$26 25
Manchester Gas Light Co., from Feb. 1 to March 1, 1872, . . . . .	7 20
Wm. Wetherbee, for wood, . . . . .	3 50
L. B. Bodwell, for coal, . . . . .	142 65
Fairbanks & Folsom, water pitcher, waiters and tumblers, . . . . .	5 04
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### INVENTORY

#### OF REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED BY THE COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH.

County farm and buildings at Wilton, (535 acres), . . . . .	\$27,675 00
Personal property at County farm, . . . . .	17,501 35
Land and jail buildings at Manchester, . . . . .	35,500 00
Personal property at jail, viz:	
oil carpeting, . . . . .	\$25 00
2 stoves and pipe, . . . . .	25 00
1 Peerless cook stove, . . . . .	75 00
1 coal stove and pipe, . . . . .	60 00
2 tables, . . . . .	4 00
14 sets wrist and leg shackles, . . . . .	32 00
set of chains, . . . . .	4 00
	<hr/> \$225 00
	<hr/> \$80,901 35

## ESTIMATE

OF THE AMOUNT OF MONEY NECESSARY TO BE RAISED BY  
TAXES THE ENSUING YEAR.

For state pay roll, . . . . .	\$5,000 00
jury pay roll, . . . . .	7,000 00
jail expenses, . . . . .	6,000 00
county farm, . . . . .	9,200 00
county paupers off the farm, . . . . .	5,000 00
N. H. Asylum for insane, . . . . .	600 00
Reform School, . . . . .	3,000 00
interest on county debt, . . . . .	5,200 00
books and stationery, . . . . .	700 00
sheriffs, deputies and messengers, . . . . .	2,000 00
solicitor's and treasurer's salaries, . . . . .	800 00
miscellaneous, . . . . .	500 00

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\$45,000 00

For award of the Supreme Judicial Court to the town of Wilton, for damages occa- sioned by the freshet of 1869, . . . . .	\$10,000 00
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\$55,000 00

GEORGE W. RIDDLE,  
HIRAM T. MORRILL,  
WILLIAM W. JOHNSON.

*County Commissioners.*

## COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Court and Board of Commissioners for the  
County of Hillsborough :*

The following is a true statement of the financial condition of the county for the year ending December 31, 1872, as it appears upon the books of the treasurer :

Balance in treasury January 1, 1872,	\$20,385 08
Rec'd on note to David Wilson, dated Jan. 20, 1872, payable in five years, . . . . .	\$8 0 00
of G. G. Bumpus, produce sold,	2,333 31
A. G. Fairbanks, jailer, costs and fines, . . . . .	128 68
A. G. Fairbanks, jailer, labor of prisoners from Sept. 10, 1871, to Jan. 10, 1872,	200 00
Amoskeag National Bank, on note dated Feb. 3, 1872,	3,500 00
Amos Balch, for bail of Luke W. Balch, . . . . .	1,000 00
G. A. Ramsdell, for license,	15 00
G. A. Ramsdell, costs and fines, . . . . .	308 19
A. G. Fairbanks, costs and fines, . . . . .	127 65
A. G. Fairbanks, labor of prisoners from Jan. 10, 1872, to May 10, 1872, . .	200 00
Amoskeag National Bank, on note dated Mar. 8, 1872,	10,000 00

G. G. Bumpus, produce sold,	1,139 87	
G. A. Ramsdell, fines and costs,	957 22	
G. A. Ramsdell, for licenses,	25 00	
From county tax,	45,000 00	
A. G. Fairbanks, fines and costs,	145 23	
A. G. Fairbanks, labor of prisoners from May 10, 1872, to Sept. 10, 1872,	200 00	
Town of Hillsborough, for support of Nathan S. Kimball at Reform School,	26 00	
G. G. Bumpus, produce sold,	1,417 34	
G. A. Ramsdell, fines and costs,	277 36	
G. A. Ramsdell, for licenses,	85 00	
	<hr/>	\$67,955 85
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		\$88,340 93

## DISBURSEMENTS.

*January Term.*

Cash paid State pay roll,	\$1,168 98
jury pay roll,	2,387 70
pauper expense at County Farm,	4,825 98
pauper expense off County Farm,	2,997 25
jail expenses,	1,814 08
salaries and pay of officers,	1,395 38
note to Amoskeag Nat'l Bank,	8,000 00
printing and stationery,	305 10
interest and coupons,	1,375 87
miscellaneous expenses,	460 78

*May Term.*

Cash paid State pay roll, . . .	1,565	54
jury pay roll, . . .	607	84
pauper expense at County Farm, . . .	4,131	69
pauper expenses off County Farm, . . .	4,013	29
jail expenses, . . .	1,858	68
salaries and pay of officers, . . .	1,624	38
printing and stationery, . . .	249	37
miscellaneous expenses, . . .	265	67

*September Term.*

Cash paid State pay roll, . . .	2,479	29
jury pay roll, . . .	3,749	64
pauper expense at County Farm, . . .	3,715	61
pauper expense off County Farm, . . .	2,916	73
jail expenses, . . .	2,512	92
salaries and pay of officers, . . .	1,646	57
note to Amoskeag Nat'l Bank, . . .	10,000	00
note to Amoskeag Nat'l Bank, . . .	3,500	00
note to A. W. Bragg, . . .	1,000	00
printing and stationery, . . .	348	16
interest and coupons, . . .	3,659	94
expense in Wilton vs. County, . . .	10,170	56
miscellaneous expenses, . . .	1,780	20
	<hr/>	\$86,527 20
Balance in treasury December 31, 1872, . . .		1,813 73
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		\$88,340 93

The following is a statement of the debts of the county December 31, 1872, as appears from the books :

Bonds, first issue, . . . . .	\$30,000	00
Bonds, second issue, . . . . .	40,000	00



Interest on bonds, . . . . .	950 00
Note to H. H. Bragg, Sept. 19, 1867, \$2,121.00, . . . . .	2,793 36
Wm. Woodbury, Jan, 17, 1870, 2,000.00, . . . . .	2,383 17
Wm. Woodbury, Jan. 17, 1870, 2,000.00, . . . . .	2,383 17
C. A. Dustin, April 28, 1870, 2,000.00, . . . . .	2,347 75
C. A. Dustin, May 11, 1870, (500—100) 400, . . . . .	480 41
H. H. Bragg, Sept. 6, 1870, 2,500.00, . . . . .	2,847 50
A W. Bragg, Sept. 6, 1870, 2,000.00, . . . . .	2,278 00
H. H. Bragg, Nov. 16, 1870, 2,000.00, . . . . .	2,255 00
M. L. Hazen, Jan. 27, 1871, 500.00, . . . . .	559 50
D. Wilson, April 20, 1871, 1,000.00, . . . . .	1,041 83
D. Wilson, May 2, 1871, 1,500.00, . . . . .	1,559 75
D. Wilson, Jan. 20, 1872, 870.00 . . . . .	919 30
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	\$92,798 74
Balance in treasury, . . . . .	1,813 73
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Total indebtedness, diminished by funds on hand December 31, 1872, . . . . .	\$90,985 01
 Total indebtedness, diminished by funds on hand December 31, 1872, . . . . .	 \$90,985 01
Total indebtedness, diminished by funds on hand December 31, 1871, . . . . .	79,670 84
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Increase of county debt during 1872, . . . . .	\$11,314 17

N. P. HUNT, *County Treasurer.*



